

Approved: September 5, 2013

**Rockville Environment Commission
Minutes of the Meeting/Tour on Thursday, August 1, 2013
At the Kol Shalom Synagogue
9110 Darnestown Road, Rockville, Maryland 20850**

Attendance

Commissioners Present: John Becker, Steve Cardon, Kris Dighe, Beri Kravitz, Clark Reed, Julie Palakovich Carr, Alicia Hosmer and Lea Rosenbohm

Commissioners Absent: Devinie Lye

Guests: Mark Charles, Environmental Management
Erica Shingara, Environmental Management

Meeting Commencement

The meeting convened at 5:30 pm by Chair Reed. The meeting consisted of a guided tour of the recently constructed synagogue which has been awarded a LEED Gold Certification by the U.S. Green Building Council. The building includes a white roof and a green roof, stormwater collection and treatment, bicycle racks and storage, priority parking for fuel efficient vehicles, energy efficient lighting and HVAC, and upgraded insulating materials.

Adjourn

The meeting/tour ended at 6:45 pm.

Next Commission Meeting

The next Commission meeting is *tentatively* scheduled for **Thursday, September 5, 2013**. This meeting will be held in the Diamondback Conference Room of the Rockville City Hall, 111 Maryland Avenue, Rockville, Maryland. The public is invited to attend.